Al-Anon/Alateen Family Groups District 8 Business Meeting April 14, 2018

Opening: Jennifer S., District Representative opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Everyone present introduced themselves and the 12 Traditions, Concepts and Warranties were read.

Minutes: The minutes from the previous meeting February 3,2018 were posted online prior to the meeting. Tish F. moved that they be accepted as presented, Candy G., seconded and the motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: Diane B., presented the financial report which is attached. Checkbook balance is \$6993.47.

Coordinator/Committee Reports:

- 1. Literature. Suzanne reported that a pamphlet directed toward parents and grandparents of alcoholics will be available in May. The new Service manual is available for \$5.50 at our AIS office. Due to financial constraints, groups will no longer receive one free. A daily reader on Intimacy in Alcoholic Relationships will be available later this year. A 50th Anniversary Commemorative edition of the ODAT will be available at the International in Baltimore in July. If there are any left they will be made available. Be sure to read your Beacon which is full of information on literature
- 2. Public Information. Not available.

District Representative Report: Jennifer reported on the transition meeting held in January in Gonzales. She asked all to send their contributions to the right person. Group contribution information is on the back of the printed meeting list.

Old Business: None

New Business: Spring Assembly

- 1. Current registration 98 Al-Anon, 3 AA, ! Alateen. Please Register if you have not.
- 2. Decoration will begin at 5PM on Thursday the 3rd. Encouraging as many as possible to assist.
- 3. Agenda items discussed and help needed slots filled.

- 4. There will be a skit Saturday night in addition to the speaker.
- 5. We are attempting to make this a relaxed weekend with opportunities for fun and fellowship. See attached agenda.

Announcements/Concerns:

- 1. May 4-6-ETAAA Spring Assembly-Beaumont
- 2. July 6-8, 2018 International Convention- Baltimore, Maryland
- 3. August 17-19- district 90 AA Convention with Al-Anon participation Elegante Hotel Beaumont.

Next District Meeting: Orange Starting Over AFG. July 21, 2018.

The meeting was closed with the Al-Anon Alateen Declaration.

Respectfully Submitted, Barbara Grove Secretary

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